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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith is a Response and Amendment for Marlon D. Cowart, et al., for BENZIMIDAZOLES THAT ARE USEFUL IN TREATING SEXUAL DYSFUNCTION, the specification of which was filed on October 31, 2003, and received Serial No. 10/699,465.

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> Respectfully submitted, Marlon D. Cowart, et al.

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Response and Amendments

Dear Sir:

The following is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121) mailed on December 12, 2006 regarding the above-captioned application. Non-elected claims are now cancelled and the correct version of the amended claims are included.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this communication.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3 of this communication..

Remarks begin on page 9 of this communication.